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In re Application of: Schlieffers et al.

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For: HAND-HELD ACQUISITION DEVICE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Prior to Examination of this application, please amend the claims as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the application to include the abstract attached herewith.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 10-27 and 31-35.

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